



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 7034

LCO No. 4158

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

Introduced by:
(APP)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPENDITURES OF THE DEPARTMENT
OF MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION SERVICES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 (NEW) The Commissioner of Mental Health and Addiction Services
2 shall review the operations of each hospital or other facility which
3 administers or provides programs or services and which is operated or
4 funded in whole or in part by the department in order to determine:
5 (1) The cost of providing various services at each such facility in
6 relation to the costs of providing the same services at other facilities;
7 (2) the availability to the recipients of such services, of similar services
8 at another facility in the same geographical area; (3) the effect of
9 closing such facilities or reducing or eliminating state funding for such
10 facilities. The commissioner shall submit findings and
11 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General
12 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and
13 the budgets of state agencies not later than February 20, 2002, and
14 annually thereafter.

APP *Joint Favorable*